JC10 Rec'd PCT/FTO 0 7 JAN 2002

I hereby certify that this care espondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service of first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231, on the date indicated below.

Name of Person Mailing Paper or Fee

| Compared to the compare

COPY OF PAPERS ORIGINALLY FILED 1764 #**5** 5-4-02

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of

Jacques Bourdel

On A METHOD AND A MACHINE FOR EXTRACTING, BY EVAPORATION, SOLID RESIDUE CONTAINED IN A FLUID MATTER

Serial No.: 09/890,016

Filed On: July 25, 2001

PRECEIVED

FEB 0 8 2002

TC 1700

(Our Docket No. 6687-03WOUS)

Assistant Commissioner of Patents **BOX PCT**Washington, D.C. 20231

SECOND INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Dear Sirs:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, and as a supplement to Applicant's Information Statement submitted with the above-identified application, Applicant submits the reference set forth below and listed on the attached form PTO SB/08A for consideration by the Examiner in connection with the examination of the above-identified patent application.

The patent is cited and its subject matter is discussed on page 13 of the application. The patent was published after the filing date of the priority application.

A copy of the cited reference is enclosed.

Foreign Patent No

Country

<u>Dated</u>

FR 99 00655

FR

06/08/2001

It is respectfully requested the Examiner indicate consideration of the cited references by returning a copy of the attached form PTO/SB/08A with initials or other appropriate marks.

Respectfully submitted,

Data

Ву__

John C. Linderman Attorney for Applicant Registration No. 24,420

McCORMICK, PAULDING & HUBER CityPlace II, 185 Asylum Street Hartford, Connecticut 06103-4102